

The Martyr

St. George Orthodox Church

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January 8, 2023

Upcoming Services and Events

- Jan 8 -** 9:30 am - Children meet with Fr. Sergei
10:00 am - Divine Liturgy - Feast of Theophany (transferred from January 6) with the blessing of the holy water and 2-year memorial for Richard Nichio
- Jan 15 -** 9:30 am - Children meet w/Fr Sergei
10:00 am - Divine Liturgy-followed by coffee hour sponsored by the Teuta Ladies Society.
- Jan 22 -** 9:30 am - Children meet w/Fr Sergei
10:00 am - Divine Liturgy

Prayers for the Blessing

Bishops Paul and John of Aleppo, *captive in Syria*.

Fr. Ceraphim, Matushka Faith and family

Father Gregory Buzi on his journey in the monastery.

Abbot Archimandrite Seraphim

Military Deployment: Robert Buckles

Those who are sick: Christy & Christina Adams; Mildred Arendac; Juan Aguilar, Antonette Barmashi, Paul Betts; Teresa Brice; James Brideau; Jeannie Brideau; Debi Broadus; Jim Cernera; Joyce Chadwick; Frank Chamberlain; Bernard & Annie Christenson; Julie Cipu; Marianna Coca; Anthony Cordero; George Costa, Renate Deer, Rosemary Delaney, Charlie Demetri; Armando Dias; Patti Fischer; Miles Flynn, Louise Karoli Gallagher; Luba Geeza, Linda Vasil Gilbert; Mike Green; Patty Ivanov; George Jones; Sug Jones; Shirley Jordan; Violet Laska; John Louis; June Lopen; Jonathan Lubin, Carole Lundquist; Thomas Matthews; Jaimie McCarvill; Zoe Michael; Melissa and Wayne Moras, Michael Moras, Jr.; Theodore Morrison; Nezar Nassif, Kimberly

Orosz; Walter Ostrowski, Krisanthi Peters, Pat Perrotta, John Rafail, Nadia Reh binder, David Schutte; Kelly Small; Charles & Joann Soter; Sue & Thomas Spero; Ted Tallcouch; William Thomas; Paulette Todisco; Margaret Torre; Fr Andrew Tregubov Mary Valis; Alice Vasil; Joe Vitale; Michael Wilson

If anyone should be added or removed from this list, please contact Kim O'Brien at kimbrien720@gmail.com.

Prayers in Memoriam

40 Days

Fr John Duranko

January

- 08 Helen M. Nasse Liolin (2002)
Bishop Mark (Forsberg) (2018)
- 11 Eleanor Lillian Phillips (1987)
- 12 Billy Arthur (1976)
- 13 Theodore Leka (1972)
Andromaqi (Anna) Kovachi (1990)
George (A. Thanos) Athanas (2001)
- 14 Thimi Bedgio (1951)
Louis A. Leka, Jr. (1944)

Holy Water Bottles

Please remember to bring your water bottles to church for the Holy Water on January 8. There will be a few available for purchase at the candle desk as well.

"Small Enough to Care, Big enough to Share"

Teuta Ladies 90th Anniversary

We will be celebrating the 90th anniversary of the Teuta Society on Sunday, January 15th at our coffee hour.

There will also be a Teuta meeting to make plans for the new year. We look forward to seeing everyone there!

Diane Cryan - President

Feast of Theophany - transferred to Sun, Jan 8th

The celebration of the Feast of Theophany is being transferred from Friday, Jan 6th to 8th. Pick up a service booklet at the back of the church. Holy Water will be available to take home on Sun, Jan 15th. If you have a plastic bottle at home. Please remember to bring your empty plastic Holy Water bottles to church for Holy Water. These bottles will be filled during the week and will be available to take home on Sunday, January 15th. If you still have Holy Water in the bottle from last year, you may water a potted plant.

Birth Announcement

Alexis and Peter Dacey were blessed with the arrival of **Elizabeth Post Dacey** in the wee (3:22am) hours of December 30th, 2022. She weighed 7lbs 2oz and 20.5 in long. Congratulations to the entire Dacey family!

Wedding Announcement

On December 30, 2022, **Chelsey O'Brien** was married to **Hans Lugus** in Narragansett, RI. We wish them many happy and healthy years!

January Charity Tray

St. George will be collecting for the Bridgeport Rescue Mission. Their mission is "to fight poverty from the inside out by embracing people with the

compassion of Christ, offering hope and healing for a changed life"

Go to the following link to learn more: <https://bridgeportrescuemission.org> As always, St. George appreciates your generosity.

Parish Meeting - Sunday Jan 29th

There will be a Parish-body meeting on Sunday, January 9th after Divine Liturgy in the Church Hall. Please plan to attend and participate!

Missionary Update from Albania

Sharon Buzi is sharing an update and photos she received from Steve and Theophani Sarigianis who are volunteering as missionaries to Albania under the OCMC (Orthodox Christian Mission Center). The update and photos are available in the Announcement section on our website, or at the following link: https://www.stgeorgetrumbull.org/news_230106_2

Pastoral Emergency Care

If there is an emergency, and you would like a priest to contact you, call Father Sergei at 203-331-2251 (cell), 203-713-6007 (home) or Bill Kovachi at 203-449-4404.

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